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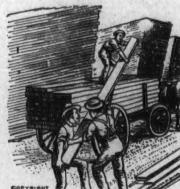
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The 24th at Bowden

About fifty of our good citizens followed their baseball team to Bowden and took in the celebration held under the auspices of the band of that place on May 24th. The day was fine and warm and an ideal time was had.

The program of sports presented was lengthy and interesting comprising the following events: pony races, foot races, trap shooting, a foot ball match between Olds and Innisfail, a base ball match between Crossfield and Bowden and a ladies' baseball game between two ladies' teams of Bowden.

The trap shooting was pulled off in the morning and immediately after dinner Crossfield and Bowden lined up.

The match resulted in a win for Bowden the score being 11 to 3. Want of team work among our men was the cause, although individually they graded higher than the Bowden team. Wagener was in the box for the locals pitching the first six innings after which he was relieved by Edwards who pitched the 7th and last. Both pitchers twirled a good game very few safe hits being made off them.

Bowden secured their lead in the third, when errors in the out and

infield let in five runs. All the runs scored by our boys were made in the fourth when with two men on bases a home run was batted.

The boys here have good material for a fast nine and before the season is over should have a long winning record. It is expected that the return game with Bowden will be played here on June 2nd.

The teams lined up as follows:

Crossfield	Bowden
McBean	Catcher Samis
Wegener	Pitcher Cornish
Urquhart	1st Base Buchanan
Thomas	2nd Base McBroom
Hall	S. Stop Lawrence
Brown	3rd Base Samis
McKin	R. Field Arnold
Brumley	C. " Ridgway
Edwards	L. " MacDonald

McNeil of Adrie won most of the athletic events and the ladies' base ball game was the comedy event of the program.

Irricana Sports

Several Crossfield people took in the sports at Irricana on the 24th. They report a most enjoyable day and say they were very hospitably treated among those who went were R. Boyle, W. Tims, Mr. Lobley, Dave Rambo and Craig Wilson. The Crossfield contingent took an additional interest in the sports from the fact that Dave Rambo had entered his sorrel gelding "Country Boy" known as "Sandy" in the free for all running race. "Sandy" with Craig Wilson up won the race but the owner of the vanquished competitor did not seem satisfied with the result and proposed a matched race. The proposal met with instant acceptance and a purse of \$25.00 a side was made up which was landed by Sandy quite easily. Considerable cash is reported to have changed hands on the race.

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F. H. SCHOOLEY,
Editor

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 1910.

Political Rumors

—

A recent dispatch from Edmonton
contains the following facts and rumors
in regard to the present legislative
crisis.

The approaching meeting of the
provincial legislature is causing a
great amount of excitement. The
royal commission has not yet con-
cluded its session and will not have
finished its labors when the house
meets. It is probable that it will
take at least a month for the com-
missioners to finish their work.

And that revives all the rumors
of which there has been so plentiful
a crop the last few months. Of
these rumors some are true and
some have only an element of truth
in them.

It is certain that the government
is preparing to meet the house. It
is almost equally certain that the
government is preparing a bill to
cancel the contract with the Clarkes.
Whatever the excuse that will be
offered the contract is to be cancell-
ed.

That much is certain. From
there we must descend to the ques-
tion of rumor.

It is rumored in this city that the
lieutenant governor will call upon
Chief Justice Sifton to form a govern-
ment and he will make this call
some time before the house meets.

A few weeks ago it was understood
that the chief justice would not accept
the office unless the call was
unanimous from all the members of
the liberal party. But now it is
generally believed that he will un-
dertake to form a government just
the same. If he does assume the
office it is expected that he will have
opposition from certain mem-
bers of the insurgents and possibly
from certain members of the govern-
ment, and of the Conservatives,
but he will control a majority nev-
ertheless.

If he assumes office he will not
include Hon. W. H. Cushing in his
cabinet. He has been very discreet
and has made no statement that
is at all of a public nature, but men
who think they know say that the
Sifton cabinet would be composed
of three members, including himself,
Judge Mitchell and Senator
Peter Talbot.

The insurgents are still hopeful of
Mr. Cushing being eventually called
to form a government and hope to do
this by defeating the government in
the house. If there is a meeting of
house under the present leadership

it is possible that the insurgents
may win out. In that case the
question is put right up to the lieu-
tenant governor, and his task if he
has decided to call upon the chief
justice might be somewhat harder.

However the public may well be
prepared for anything within the
next few days. The commission is
going on but it has pretty much
lost interest and the political situation
has quite overshadowed it.

The one thing that is fairly cer-
tain is that the government if it gets
a chance to meet the house, will pre-
sent a bill cancelling the A. & G.
W. contract.

It is almost equally certain that
either now or when the commission
presents its report that Chief Justice
Sifton will be called upon to form a
cabinet, and that he will accept.

It is quite as certain that Hon. W.
H. Cushing will not be a member of
that cabinet. That is the position
of affairs at the present time.
It is a question of when.

Provincial Exhibition

The Provincial Exhibition to be
held at Calgary, June 30th to July
7th is going to excel any previous
effort made in Canada, west of Win-
nipeg. Some of the prominent fea-
tures will be:

A mechanical milking machine
demonstration with instructive lec-
tures.

An acre yield competition in
which all grain grown on an acre
must be shown, and for which practi-
cally \$1000 is offered in prizes.
This feature promises to be a great
success.

An exhibition showing the dif-
ferent grades of commercial steers.

An exhibition illustrating the pro-
cess of grading up by the use of a
pure bred stallion.

An actual forestry demonstration
by the Dominion Tree Planting Di-
vision on a large plot of ground.

An art and china loan exhibit
composed of the best pictures and
china from homes of residents in
western Canada. Many families
have articles of great value brought
from their former homes, and you
will be surprised at the magnificence
of the display. If you have any
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FASHIONS AND FANCIES.

FASCINATINGLY dainty and smart are the summer gowns now exhibited, and material and coloring alike seem symbolic of the season. It may be the contrast of the diaphanous fabrics with the furs and heavy dark cloths of the winter that makes all summer materials so attractive and so much more in keeping with the light sunshine and warm days.

Never were there so many exquisitely fine light weight materials as are to be seen this spring. Voile de sole, marquisette, lace and net of all kinds and descriptions line the counters of the dry goods shops and gowns made of these materials are in the lead at all the openings at the fashion-
days.



Blue and White Voile de Soie Gown Over White Lining

able dressmakers. There are plain and figured effects and a marvellously wide range of colors, while ingenuity and knowledge of how to combine the colors is taxed to the utmost to evolve the most extraordinary effects. The material is practical in its first effect, as regards the shape of the material—too fine and too soft—but like the gowns of old time fiction, we find that they could be passed through a wedding ring; these gowns often wear far better than those of heavier and apparently stronger fibre. In truth, the amount of wear which can be given without apparently any effect is most surprising, oftentimes far more than to a foulard or satin.

Cheeks, fine shepherd plaid checks in black and white, grey and white, any color and every color are all decidedly good, and are very much in fashion. Sometimes black satin is used to trim them, but not too much of any such contrast. Laces and embroideries are fashionable trimmings for the waist, and the same colors as the gown are always, as it were, subordinated to the rest of the gown. A hand around the skirt is of plain color, lace or embroidery, and a touch of the same is in the broad belt, and even in the sleeves, which are very full and have a wide appearance. This does not apply in every case, for there are two or three models on which a lot of black is to be noticed. A broad black band around the waist, and a long sash made of black velvet or satin. But this may be taken as an example that the exception proves the rule, for the majority of the smart gowns are all one tone of coloring.

The question of the lining is all important this season. The number of petticoats has been reduced to a minimum, and in truth, as few garments as possible should be worn, but the traditional gown boast not one but two and sometimes three linings. The foundation is of silk or satin, which is veiled in a contrasting color of face, violet de sole, and over this is mounted a white veil, and finally a white lining, which is the gown itself. Indescribably charming are the effects gained by the use of the different veillings used in this manner. A foundation green lining over which is a purple and then a white lining gives a mysterious effect. For the shepherd plaid veil de sole the lining is either white or the color of the darker check.

In the soft, thin fabrics quite different models are fashionable. One need to take care in wearing the kimono; the thinner the fabric, are classed with the voile, but the heavier can be made in almost any style. The return of the kimono sleeve is one of the marked styles of the season, but it is a most inconvenient garment, especially if it is assumed uncomfortable, and it is quite impossible in many of the newest models to raise the arm to the head, but then exercise has evidently done the minds of the arrangers who have thought up such a creation. In years past the most fashionable skirts are quite too narrow to permit of taking a long step, while the broad stiff band of material that binds the skirt just above the ankle was surely never designed for any woman who was fond of walking. Beginning, indeed, so are the waists with sleeves and shoulders across the shoulders all in one piece, and the transparent and



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"Lo!"
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"I don't know yet. They canned me in Goldfield, and guess there ain't nothin' in them minin'-stock games anymore. I'm thinkin' of goin' up the coast and goin' into the real-estate business. That's almost honest."

TALES FROM THE WONDERFUL WEST



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Recent experiments indicate that pure iron in the presence of pure oxygen does not rust. It appears to be necessary that the presence of water and that some acid, notably carbonic acid, shall be present. When iron is subjected to the action of water containing traces of acid, and in the presence of atmospheric oxygen, the iron is converted into a coating of iron in railroad stations is ascribed to the presence of sulphuric acid derived from the smoke of locomotives.



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Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishop Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February at 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
5-52-t P. I. McAnally, Chairman.

Public Notice

This is to notify the owners of cows within the village that if the said cows are not kept closed up at night, to prevent them from becoming a nuisance, the council will be obliged to enforce the Pound law.

By Order of Village Council
Chas. Hultgren, Sec-Treas.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. J. Martin made a business trip to Calgary last night.

Jack Barrett is hauling coal for Charley Smart's steam plow this week.

—Money to loan on improved farms, no commission, no delay, you get the money in a few days. See Hulgren & Davis.

Veterinary stock food at half the regular price, at Jesse Gouge & Co., Acme. Makes horses healthy and sick.

Evangelist Bell closed his meetings at Tanbrynn school house last Sunday night and returned to his home in Calgary.

Walter Shaw is home again from the Calgary hospital. He makes occasional trips down there for the doctor to attend his eye.

A line of nobly buggies and democrats at Jesse Gouge & Co., Acme. Stop riding the hax wagon and get up to date. It's coming to you.

J. F. Barrett sold his place this week to T. D. Thomas* who owns the adjoining quarter. Mr. Thomas will take possession next March.

"Never trouble trouble, till trouble troubles you." Buy Deering mowers and binders from Jesse Gouge & Co., Acme, and avoid trouble.

—How is this for a bargain? \$500.00 will handle 160 acres, three miles from Crossfield at only 25.00 per acre and long terms on balance. Call on Hulgren & Davis for shape like this.

E. F. Morrow, H. E. Magee and M. S. Peacock attended the meeting of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. at Calgary this week as delegates from Crossfield lodge.

Walter Bradley went to Glenbow this week, to sharpen tools at the stone quarry there. He is very expert at this branch of the trade having worked at it before coming west.

Rev. W. A. Smith goes to Edmonton on Monday to attend the annual conference being held there this week. Mr. Smith is the statistical secretary for the Calgary district.

Mr. Harry Mann made a business trip to Camrose and Calgary on Monday and Tuesday. He reports that everything is booming at Camrose. The place promises to become a large town.

Major R. L. Boyle sent out last Friday two double teamed wagons and two single teams with home-steading effects to his homestead east of the Red Deer. He has stock on it now and is getting it ready for immediate occupation.

The Crossfield Social club gave a very successful ball in the hall on Monday evening last. About twenty-five couples were in attendance and all report a good time. Excellent music was furnished by the Secret-Boyce orchestra. At midnight lunch was served by the popular F. Stevens restaurant, after which dancing was resumed and kept up till 2:30.

Rev. C. D. Campbell, of Edmonton, District Secretary of the Bible Society will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon and evening. He will give an illustrated lecture on Monday night which is free. The election of officers for the local branch of the society will take place immediately after the lecture.

If it is a wagon you want see Jesse Gouge & Co., Acme. They have two cars just arrived, all kinds big wagon, little wagons, red wagons yellow wagons, but all good wagons.

—The Pioneer Real Estate Firm, Hulgren & Davis, has the listing of the best land around Crossfield, close in, and on crop payments, at reasonable prices. Some good bargains for cash. Don't forget the name—Hulgren & Davis.

Recruits are wanted for the Fifteenth Light Horse who will go into camp for twelve hours on June 1st. Men owning their own horse preferred although some animals will be supplied. For further particulars address Lieut. R. L. Boyle, Crossfield, Alta.

Notice

I have decided to make a change in my method of doing business. On June 1st, the Crossfield Meat Market will go on a basis of no more credit will be given. All owing me on account will please call and settle, as it is necessary to have these outstanding accounts settled at once.

L. G. Fisher

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F. R. ROBINSON
Secretary-Treasurer
22-3-c

Notice to the Public

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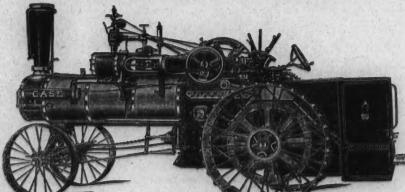
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THE estimated area of southern Nigeria is 77,960 square miles, that of northern Nigeria, the hinterland of southern Nigeria, is estimated at 265,000, and the native population of the two combined is from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000, yet any effort at scientific agriculture or mining is confronted by difficulties. There want to buy the natives are few, and on account of their primitive custom of acquiring only personal property, and that in the form of cattle, wives, etc., there is little demand on the latter in old age for support; they give little thought to having aside money for use in time of illness and old age. In view of intense tribal warfare the natives often refuse money in exchange for their products, gathered where they have not sown, but will readily accept a dog, a gun, a gunpowder, etc., when they desire them for immediate use. In some parts of the hinterland tobacco is an absolute necessity in trade.

The hand. Here is where you must go prou. Do not let your hand get the best of you. Judge me. You are not a friend and companion, but a hunting dog. The time to commence liking a hunting dog is when he has made good.

To return to the transaction, you sooner or later get a letter, very apologetic, explaining that Mr. Dog Shamus was not available, and that he had one of either of his big business interests at the time your dog was mixed, and his kennelman got the dogs mixed up. The dog you wanted was sent away up to Manitoba; that the dog was taken sick and died en route, and was consequently a total loss. You are asked to give him a chance to give the kennel-man employment, be a boyhood chum; that you have in your possession a really valuable dog, though not a gun dog, it is true. Well, I say, if after so much delay there is no longer a market for this dog up in Manitoba, and, finally, it is practical giving you the dog, like this, for five dollars. And like the chump you are, you send along your check, fondly believing that when you eventually get around to it and pay him back, you do something, where there is a chance of finding game he will be a winner.

That is only one simple little trick; there are dozens of others. But you can protect yourself from sharpers by putting your money in the care of your lawyer, attorney-at-law. When your real trouble will come in is in getting a satisfactory dog from a regular dealer. And this you will not even think about, according to the code. You must not expect a dog man or a horse dealer to tell you everything, you know. A breed must sell, and stand on its feet, or it won't turn out satisfactorily. In my own case, after owning a number of pointers and setters, not to mention cocker spaniels, I found myself unable to find a breeder just the sort of puppy to select for me. I can do far better than I can pick out the dog for you, dear sir, somewhere where it may not be easy for you. No two men are just alike, you see.

I have to hand a dog that has a good deal of courage, or else worthless to me. Regardless of ambition and bird sense, speed, stamina and all the other qualities, I want a dog that is made up of a high class show dog. I personally, must make sure of courage and total absence of nervousness. And it is simply because I am naturally afraid of a sharp, sharp, stern and intolerant when handling a dog. I love a dog—any sort of a dog—but it is my nature, I confess, to be good to a dog, but not to train him. Such a dog will break shot persistently, dislodge you every way and make himself intolerable.

Above all things, make him a dog to the bone. If you can't have a puppy with plenty of ambition. And when the younger comes, try him out. This may seem too difficult, but it's a dog with too much independence. He will almost surely prove unsatisfactory. He will "get into your hair" and will not be able to get out of it. Such a dog will break shot persistently, dislodge you every way and make himself intolerable.

If, on the contrary, you are gentle mannered and easy going when handling a dog, then you can't have a dog with too much independence. He will almost surely prove unsatisfactory. He will "get into your hair" and will not be able to get out of it. Such a dog will break shot persistently, dislodge you every way and make himself intolerable.

Even the most experienced dog can be trained to do his work and when he can do no one but himself. Be sure he is not uncomfortable from rain or snow or muddy ground, and that he is not cold or hungry. Have him in good

humor, give him plenty of rope, and then if he does not hunt and hunt hard, is not the dog for you. This applies to hunting dogs of all kinds.

Other things you can make sure of are the young dog's sense of smell, his hearing, and his attitude toward the sound of a gun. One of the several ailments of young pups is deafness, which may have left the young dog hard of hearing or with impaired sense of smell. Careful observation will tell you the dog is deaf, but it is difficult to prove. But you will have to actually try him out to see if he is gun-shy. Many high-bred dogs are due, I am told, to excessive inbreeding, which is traceable to the natives often refuse money in exchange for their products, gathered where they have not sown, but will

Do not be too hasty in buying that dog. I know of several instances where a person will purchase and have it even disliking to seem too careful of his money. It is not the money so much, my brother, but the time is costing; your recreation. Do not forget that. You no doubt can afford to lose the price of a dog or two. But you can afford to wait for the price of the possession of a thoroughly satisfactory dog will bring you. We often hear it said that no man ever can own more than one good dog. I am not sure that this is far from true. It is only necessary to find out just the kind of dog that you want, and then take only the dog which meets your requirements.

In other words, you must make up your mind to make a bigger job out of getting a dog than you think it ought to be. You will wait, afford to wait, even a year or two, rather than get a dog which you can do nothing with and which makes you useless, you will spend in trying to get on with him, simply because he has a good pedigree and cost you as much as a month's rent. Another thing: when you eventually get him, make up the fact that cyar dog is not good enough for you, what are you going to do with him? How will you get your money back? You will never get it back, you know. I have always had to give them away. But the good dog, the one you are going to remember as long as you live, the pal of all pals, the friend of all friends, will always be a good dog, and the fact that you paid a good price for him! And as for selling him—excuse me! Let's not talk about it.

A SHIP THAT CLIMBED AN ICE-BEERG

THEIRRE have been many instances of ships being crushed with bergs, and dozens of ships have been lost or disabled through such mishaps; but this is only one case on record where a ship was able to climb out of the berg so well that her crew and passengers were frightened nearly out of their wits. The ship which performed this exploit was the steamer *Portia*, lying between New York and Newfoundland.

June, 1893, the *Portia*, commanded by Captain Ash, was carrying a big party of tourists off the Newfoundland coast, when the lookout sighted a gleaming iceberg ahead. The announcement was made to call out one deck, and tourists, scientists, and crew scrambled for a view of the towering mass of dazzling ice. It was a calm clear day, and the sun was almost no warmer. The iceberg was eight hundred feet long and two hundred feet high, and in the sunlight it was a sickening sight to stare at the jagged edge of the most lethargic. Everybody wanted to get nearest to the great mountain of ice, but the captain, willing to protect his passengers, moved the steamer nearer.

Finally, when within gunshot of the berg, the steamer was stopped, so that the passengers could witness the floating danger of the northern seas. No one anticipated any attempt on the part of the steamer to climb the berg, but when she did, and crunched soundly than that thoughts of danger entered the minds of crew or passengers. The jar was so violent that the passengers were thrown about, and the iceberg quivered and split in two. Almost instantly the steamer was raised high above the berg, and the captain, who had the great propellers churned empty air.

The *Portia* was on the iceberg. As it quite naturally among icebergs, there were still big ledges of ice remaining the base, but so submerged that its presence was not detected. In appearance it looked like a small hill grating on this ledge; but as this was ruptured by the salt water, it split under the impact and caused the whole berg to break in two, and the two immense masses upset the balance of the mountain of ice and it started to topple over, while the extended ledge as it rose, caught the extended arm of the steamer, and the berg fell into the sea.

It was probably the weight of the steamer which kept the berg from turning completely.

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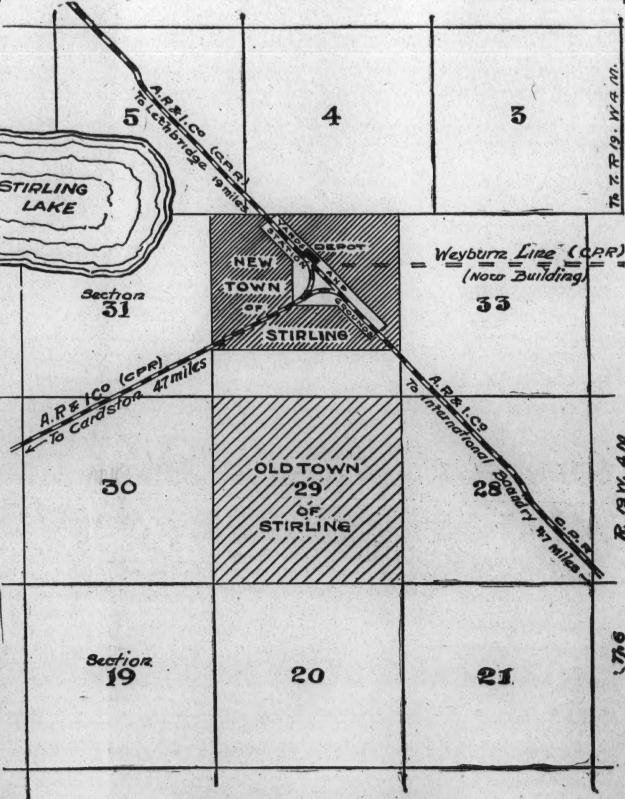
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STIRLING

IN SUNNY SOUTHERN ALBERTA



SCALE, TWO INCHES EQUALS ONE MILE

The above map gives at a glance the ideal location of the new town of Stirling. There are three railroads radiating from it, one to the north, one to the west, and one to the south.

The map also shows the space at the junction reserved for the railway for yards, tracks, station grounds, etc. The elevator, chopping mill, loading platform and stockyards are within this area, being located just north of the depot. There is more space reserved for railway purposes in New Stirling than in any town west of Moose Jaw.

The new town of Stirling is growing by leaps and bounds. Last June it was open prairie; today a thriving town, with local and long distance telephone. A newspaper, "The New Stirling Star," has just been established, and a telegram from the editor states that the first issue will be out this week.

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Local News

Miss Mary Ingle, of Stony Plain, visited friends in town the first of the week.

Mr. Jess Fike shipped his well drilling machine to Calgary last night where he will have it repaired preparatory to moving it southeast of Lethbridge, to fill a contract he has drilling well for a new townsite company.

The United Farmers of Alberta will hold a meeting in the Odd Fellows Hall, Crossfield, on Monday, June 6th at 2 o'clock. D. W. Warner will address the meeting on pork packing plant and other interesting subjects.

Joe Berry, east of town, was kicked by a horse on Monday. He had three ribs broken and was otherwise internally injured. At present he is progressing favorably in the hospital at Calgary where it was thought advisable to remove him.

The Board of Trade held a meeting on Thursday evening, to consider the matter of the resignation of J. S. Martin as secretary. On Mr. Martin insisting that circumstances made it impossible for him to longer continue as secretary his resignation was accepted and S. Willis was appointed to fill the vacancy. The Board also took up the matter of a physician and decided to take immediate steps to secure one for this place.

Empire Day Program

In honor of Empire Day the following programme was carried out at the school house, last Monday afternoon. Master Hylton Parker acted as chairman and each number presented by the pupils was heartily applauded.

Chorus by the School--Spring Song Recitation--Gertie Stone Recitation--Victoria Eagleson Chorus--"Little May" Recitation--Frank McCool Recitation--Marie Ontkes Chorus--"Gay Butterflies" Recitation--Dorothy Smith Recitation--Clifford Edwards Girls Chorus--"The Dying Nun" Address--Rev. Mr. McNeil Boys' Chorus--"The Old Brigade" Recitations--Frances McAnally, Dorothy Coggins.

Chorus--"The Land of the Maple" Recitations--Jas. Eagleson, Fred Timmins Girls Chorus--Three Little Sisters Address--Rev. Mr. Smith Chorus--"The Maple Leaf Forever" Address--Mr. Kelly; "Our Flag and What it Means" National anthem

Rumworth Notes

The question of herd law is being agitated in this township. No doubt it will be opposed by those who are running small droves of cattle. If the labor and expense of fencing were dispensed with there would be more land broken up. It is to be hoped that the present legal fence will soon be a thing of the past.

Mr. N. J. Heaton is building a house and barn on section 13.

M. S. Long and Fred Seville are appointed roadmasters.

K. Maunmann has sold his homestead for 19.00 per acre.

Premier Resigns

On Thursday Premier Rutherford resigned and the legislature prorogued. Immediately after the resignation of Ruthfore, the Hon. A. L. Sifton was sworn in as premier of Alberta. No definite announcement has yet been made as to the personnel of the new cabinet, though conjectures are plentiful enough. Among those mentioned as probabilities are the following: Judge Mitchell of Calgary, Duncan Marshall of Olds, A. McLean of Lethbridge and Dr. Warnock. No announcement is expected however before Monday.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Potatoes	per bushel	75c.
Wheat, No. 1, red, bus.	... 68c.	
Wheat, No. 2, ...	66c.	
Wheat, No. 3, ...	64c.	
Wheat, No. 4, ...	62c.	
Wheat, No. 5, ...	58c.	
Flax	... 1.25c	
Oats	... 10c.	
Barley	... 29c.	
Eggs	... 20c.	
Butter	... lb. 20c.	
Hogs, live weight	\$9.50	
Hogs, dressed	\$12.00	
Cattle, live weight	lb. 2½ c. to 2 to 4	
Dressed Beef	5 to 7½ c.	
Dressed Veal	8c.	

Died--On section 10-29-w. 4th Elsie Bell youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McGee, aged one year, three months. Funeral was held at Crossfield cemetery on Sunday last at 2 o'clock.

In the District Court of the District of Calgary

Between D. A. MacCrimmon of Crossfield, Alberta, Plaintiff; and Harvey Sower, of Crossfield, Alberta, Defendant.

To Harvey Sower the above named Defendant:

You are notified that the above named plaintiff has commenced an action against you in the above named Court for the recovery of the claim, a statement of which is filed in Court whereby the plaintiff claims \$305.78 and costs. And you are notified that if you dispute the said claim either in whole or in part you do so on or before the 19th day of June A. D. 1910, cause to be entered for you in the office of the clerk of this Court an appearance, and within six days thereafter file with the said Clerk a statement of the ground on which such dispute is based.

And you are notified that in default of your doing so the plaintiff may proceed in his said action, and judgment may be given in your absence, and without further notice to you.

This notice is given pursuant to Order of His Honor Judge Mitchell, dated the 17th day of May A. D. 1910.

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1.3.20 Olds	6.00
1.3.36 Bowden	5.36
1.4.06 Innisfail	5.16
5.00 Ar. Red Deer (Lv.)	5.11
5.00 Lv. (Ar.)	5.30
5.45 Lacombe	5.47
6.20 Ponoka	3.09
6.50 Wetaskiwin	5.25
7.19 Millet	5.03
7.40 Leduc	5.38
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